

## **NAS NORTH ISLAND - NAVY REGION SOUTHWEST NAVY ENVIRONMENTAL LEADERSHIP PROGRAM**

### **PARTNERSHIPS**

#### **BORDER ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY RESOURCE CENTER**

##### **ACTIVITIES INVOLVED**

California Environmental Protection Agency  
California Trade and Commerce Agency  
California Energy Commission  
U.S. Department of Commerce  
San Diego County, International Trade Center  
University of California-San Diego

##### **STATUS**

Active

##### **MISSION**

Encourage and assist the growing environmental industry and the development and commercialization of emerging environmental technologies and methodologies

##### **PARTNERSHIP DESCRIPTION**

An initiative of the Border Environmental Commerce Alliance (BECA), the Border Environmental Technology Resource Center (BETRC), is designed as a cross-border, one-stop source for state-of-the-art environmental technology information, technical export, and general business development assistance. The BETRC also offers pollution prevention and waste minimization training and environmental regulatory compliance services. The staff at BETRC provides technical assistance in technology transfer, commercial business planning, business management techniques, sustainable technologies and environmental management techniques, matching of environmental technology with manufacturing production capacity, and accessing state, federal, and international procurement/contract/grant opportunities. NELP has shared information, contacts, and access to technology information to BETRC, forming a mutually beneficial partnership.

##### **BENEFITS**

- Strengthens linkages with environmental public and private agencies and businesses on both sides of the U.S.-Mexico border
- Enhances the exchange of information, products, and technologies through formal and informal partnerships
- Assists emerging environmental industry as well as the communities along the border

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Date	Activity
JUN 1996	During a BECA/BETRC meeting held at the San Diego Border Liaison Office, NAS North Island NELP provided a briefing on NELP as well as brochures on the Naval Facilities Engineering Service Center (NFESC) Broad Agency Announcement (BAA) process for technology developers to submit ideas to the Navy

## CURRENT STATUS/FUTURE PLANS

Date	Activity
Ongoing	Continue to communicate and identify future collaborative opportunities

## COLLABORATION/TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER

NELP is sharing its knowledge of innovative technologies with BETRC to encourage border companies to develop new technologies

## BIBLIOGRAPHY

- [BECA Web page](#)

## RELATED GOVERNMENT INTERNET SITES

[BECA Web page](#)

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